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Caldwell Commercial: Fred Kuhlman, formerly of this place, was shot and killed at Humboldt last Thursday morning, by Ed. Stokely, boss herder for Forsythe. The cause of the shooting was a woman, and a prostitute of course. The parties had some difficulty about the creature the night previous. On Thursday morning the men met, when Stokely pulled his revolver and fired, shooting Kuhlman in the right breast. Kuhlman died about thirty minutes after he was shot. The murderer is still at large.

Secretary Kirkwood has a novel idea in his head that may bring forth some very astonishing results. He has placed an intelligent Indian in the employ of the Indian Bureau, to be sent out as an Indian agent in the place of a white man. The young Indians are fast becoming educated, and the time is not far distant when they will fill many important places among their people. It may take some time to test this scheme, but there is good reason to believe it will finally succeed.

The patriotism of this place did not express itself very forcibly last Monday. The fact that it was issue day for the Indians compelled the greater part of the Agency employees and the merchants to work over half the day. Fireworks and speeches were "conspicuous for their absence." During the day there was some horse racing near Reno, which was enjoyed by a large number of people. At night the Reno folks indulged in a protracted, though not very brilliant pyrotechnical display. The sad news of the shooting of the president made the people feel very lull, like celebrating.

This issue of the TRANSPORTER is an extra large one of 625 copies, and is sent to nearly every cow camp in the Territory, our object being to benefit our advertisers, who have dealt with us so liberally, and at the same time advertise the paper. It is with genuine pride that we call attention to the large number of advertisements of first class houses, that appear in our columns. The fact that the TRANSPORTER is used so liberally by merchants and cattle men is the best proof of its worth as an advertising medium. Our circulation is already quite respectable and we confidently expect it will reach five hundred copies before the year is out. The reader is requested to consider our proposition to furnish the Leavenworth Times and the Burlington Hawkeye in connection with the TRANSPORTER. Both are splendid papers and we offer them in connection with our paper for little more than the cost of the paper on which they are printed.

ATTEMPTED ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT GARFIELD.

About noon Saturday, the 2d inst. the people of this part were startled by the sad news of the attempted assassination of the president, three hours before. The news was such a surprise that many thought the story untrue, but later dispatches confirmed the truth of the first. The tragedy was enacted at the Baltimore & Ohio depot. From the associated press dispatches we condense as follows:

The president had alighted from his carriage and was passing through the ladies' room to the cars. When a few feet inside of the room, the murderer, who was within three feet of him, fired one shot, hitting the president in the arm. The presi-

dent stood dazed and made no attempt at self protection. The assassin fired the second shot in ten seconds, and the president fell. Both shots were fired from behind the president, the last striking him above the third rib. The assassin, whose name is Charles J. Guiteau, made no attempt to escape and was at once captured and locked up. The president was taken up stairs and made as comfortable as possible under such circumstances.

Secretary Blaine was not going with the party, but went down to bid the president good-bye. He said: "The president and I were walking arm in arm toward the train. I heard two shots and saw a man run. I started after him but seeing that he was caught, I came to the president, and found him lying on the floor, which was covered with his blood." After the president was taken to the White House, Secretary Blaine said to a reporter: "I do not know what to make of it. It is too horrible. The man who did the shooting has been hanging around the Department of State for some time. He had no occasion beyond his own desires to apply for appointment, and we have never encouraged him. He is crazy, I believe." Guiteau is from Chicago, and has a very unenviable reputation. A gentleman said of him: "I remember Guiteau well. He preached or lectured on religious and social subjects, upon which he was an enthusiast. He started as a lawyer, but failed utterly. He bored the newspapers by trying to get his manuscript printed. He failed as a lecturer and then began life as a tramp of the more respectable order. In appearance he is an American of French extraction, 35 to 40 years old, of medium height, slender

build, fair complexion, brown hair and beard tinged with gray. He got the idea in his head that he was fit for official position, and has been trying with all his power to get a consulate at Marseilles."

Of course every effort is being made to render the president as comfortable as possible. The physicians think the internal organs are not severely injured, and express themselves as hopeful of the president's speedy recovery.

The following was kindly furnished Agent Miles by the operator at Fort Reno:

WASHINGTON, D. C., 7th.
During the past twenty-four hours the president has continued to improve slowly. As was anticipated a slight rise of temperature and a slight increase in the activity of the pulse continued during the afternoon and evening. At 1:30 P. M. the pulse was 114, temperature 101, respiration 23; and this morning showed the same improvement of yesterday. At the same time yesterday the pulse was 94, temperature 91, respiration, 23. Last evening at 9:30 a quarter grain of morphine was administered to the president, and the patient slept very well during the night. In addition to chicken broth he has taken beef tea. This morning he is taking oat-meal gruel and milk at intervals of two hours. The president is as well as reasonably could be expected up to the present time, and our hopes of his recovery are strengthened by the events of the last twenty-four hours.

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The latest from Washington regarding the condition of the president says that he continues to improve. His physicians entertain hopes of speedy recovery.